Mountain Weather Forecast

Northwest Highlands

Including Sutherland, Ben Wyvis, Wester Ross, The Cuillin, Glen Affric, Glen Shiel and Knoydart
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Tuesday 29 Nov 2022 until 23:59 on Wednesday 30 Nov 2022

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 29 Nov 2022 at 03:27 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: Medium, but low for likelihood of rain on Wednesday and early Thursday.

Headline for Tuesday 29 Nov 2022: Dry with sunny spells, high cloud thickening in afternoon. Patchy fog in glens and perhaps a light shower over coastal hills.

Mountain weather hazards on Tuesday 29 Nov 2022

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability					
10%	10%	10%	<05%	<05%	<05%

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Weather: Mainly dry with clear periods at first and some low level fog patches, but a few showers over Skye and some far northwestern coastal ranges. The odd isolated shower may continue there during the day but otherwise daylight hours will be dry with some good sunny periods, with just some high cloud around in the afternoon. The odd shallow fog patch may linger in one or two glens.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 90%.

Low cloud and visibility: Patchy cloud at 750m over Skye and far northwestern coasts near any showers. Visibility generally good, but poor or very poor within the cloud and in fog patches.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	11/13 S	8/10 S	9/12 S	11/13 SE	14/17 SE	12/15 SE	15/19 SE
900	11/13 S	8/10 S	9/12 S	10/13 SE	13/16 SE	12/15 SE	15/18 SE
600	8/10 S	6/8 S	7/10 S	7/10 SE	9/12 SE	8/12 SE	8/13 SE
300	2/8 SW	2/7 SW	2/7 S	2/7 SE	2/8 SE	4/8 SE	4/9 SE
Glen	2/3 N	3/4 E	3/6 SE	4/8 SE	5/9 SE	6/10 E	5/10 E

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	1/-3	1/-3	2/-2	2/-2	1/-4	1/-4	1/-5
900	2/-2	2/-2	2/-2	2/-2	2/-3	2/-3	1/-4
600	4/1	4/1	4/2	4/2	4/0	3/0	3/-0
300	4/3	3/2	5/4	5/4	3/2	3/2	3/1
Glen	6/5	5/4	8/7	8/6	7/6	7/5	6/4
Freezing Level*	1100m	1100m	1100m	1100m	1100m	1100m	1000m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Nothing additional.

Forecast for Wednesday 30 Nov 2022
Weather: A mainly dry day with some sunny spells, and the odd shallow glen fog bank. Thicker cloud may bring some hill fog and perhaps a little rain to Skye and Lochalsh, though this is more likely in the evening.

Maximum wind: Southerly 25 gusts 35mph easing 15-20mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 90% falling 30% in the west later

Low cloud and visibility: Little low cloud, just the odd patch in the glens where fog lifts, but some cloud at 750m reaching west coast hills later and some lower patches in the evening. Poor visibility in the cloud, good otherwise becoming moderate later in any rain.

Temperature: **Glens:** Minus 3 in clearer areas at dawn rising to Plus 4 at best.
At 800m: Plus 4 Celsius
Freezing level: 1100m.

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